The State Government has now taken the stand that they can consider further action only if the Bill is formally returned with Presidential orders under Article 201 of the Constitution. Accordingly, the Bill is now being processed formally for Presidential orders.

Chakma refugees in Tripura

724. SHRI G. G. SWELL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Chakma refugees in Tripura have refused to go back to Bangladesh;

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) whether they have appealed to the United Nations against forced repatriation and to protect their human rights;

(d) whether Government have drastically reduced their rations and daily doles; and

(e) the present per head daily expenditure on these refugees?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) and (b) The Chakma refugees have neither agreed nor refused to go back. They are insisting for acceptance of their 13-Point demands and some other conditions by the Bangladesh Government before their repatriation.

(c) The Government have no such information.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) The present expenditure per refugee is about Rs. 150/- per month.

Steps to check smuggling of explosives

725. CHOWDHRY HARI SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has come to notice of Government recently that 57 k.g. RDX was seized in Ghaziabad by a combined team of operations cell of Delhi Police, Punjab Police and U.P. Police;

(b) if so, how many have been apprehended so far and whether any investigation has been carried out and if so, with what results;

(c) what efforts are being made to seize explosives being smuggled into the country from Pakistan;

(d) whether patrolling of coastal areas has been intensified by taking the help of coast guards to apprehend culprits indulged in smuggling high explosives by sea; and

(e) what is the total deployment of coast guards made in the coastal line in this regard and estimated expenditure by Government so far during the past six months?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) to (e) As per information furnished by the State Government of Uttar Pradesh about 56 kgs of RDX and three Hand Grenades were seized on 28.9.93 from a house in Lajpat Nagar in Sahibabad, Distt. Ghaziabad, UP, by a Special Operation Cell of Delhi, UP and Punjab Police. Police have registered a case under Crime No. 673/93 under the explosives Act and investigation is in progress. No one has so far been arrested in this regard. No clue has so far been found about the origin of the explosives. However investigations made so far reveal that the explosives belonged to the terrorist outfit, KLF led by one Kanwal Singh Rehana. Government have asked all state governments to launch systematic action to locate and seize explosives that have been smuggled into the country. State governments have also been asked to appoint nodal officers for coordinating all action for carrying out reinforced surveillance, especially along the coast. Appropriate instructions have also been issued to the Navy, Coast Guards and Customs for carrying out intensive patrolling in the high-seas as well as along the coast line. As per informaton furnished by the Min. of Defence, (Coast Guard Hqrs), all available operational Coast Guard ships and aircraft have been mobilised to maintain constant vigil in the maritime zones

off the western coast. Considering that the ships and aircraft are service assets, the only additional expenditure deemed to have occurred is on fuel and lubricants for which the expenditure comes to Rs. 1.94 crores.

मुम्बई में हुए बम-विस्फोटों की जांच के लिए विशेष कार्य-बल

726. **श्री गोपाल सिंह जी० सोलंकी:** क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार ने 19 मार्च, 1993 को मुम्बई में हुए बम-विस्फोटों की जांच के लिए विशेष कार्यबल गठित करने का निर्णय लिया है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है तथा इस विशेष कार्यदल के लिए किन-किन एजेन्सियों में से चयन किया जाएगा; और

(ग) किन-किन राज्यों में इस नव-गठित कार्यबल को तैनात किया जाएगा और इसके प्रत्येक दस्ते में कितने सदस्य होंगे ?

गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री राजेश पायलट): (क) से (ग) यह सही है कि मार्च, 1993 में हुए बम विस्फोटों की जांच करने में, बम्बई पुलिस की सहायता के लिए जून, 1993 के प्रथम सप्ताह में, केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो और केन्द्रीय आसूचना एजेंसियों के अधिकारियों का एक टास्क फोर्स का गठन किया गया था। टास्क फोर्स का कार्य बम्बई पुलिस को मदद, सहायता देना और बम्बई पुलिस द्वारा अपेक्षित सभी आसूचना और जांच पड़ताल संबंधी सूचना को समन्वित करना और तुरन्त उपलब्ध कराना है। अतः टास्क फोर्स को विभिन्न राज्यों में तैनात करने का प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता है।

Expenditure incurred on VIP security State-wise

727. SHRI BHUPINDER SINGH MANN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of expenditure incurred on V.I.P. security, State-wise;

(b) whether Government propose to lessen/enhance the expenditure; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) to (c) Public Order' which includes VIP security is a State Subject under the Constitution of India. As such it is the responsibility of the State Governments to provide security to the persons within their respective jurisdiction and to meet expenditure thereon;

Functioning of Gujarati Samaj in Delhi

728. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whetehr it is a fact that the Delhi Gujarati Samaj is functioning without permission and licence of Delhi Administration after the expiry of its licence since a very long period;

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government are aware about illegal activities, functioning and neglecting Government rules and regulations by the Gujarati Samaj;

(d) whether Government, the Lieutenant Governor and Police Commissioner of Delhi and Administrator of Delhi, Administration are aware about the functioning of Delhi Gujarati Samaj for the last ten years without licence;

(e) whether it is a fact that the people of Gujarat State who are staying in Guest Houses of Delhi Gujarati Samaj are not safe;

(f) whether Government propose to close down the Gujarati Samaj and